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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: JEFFRY W. SCOTT ET AL.

Filed: FEBRUARY 17, 2004

For: DIRECT DIGITAL ACCESS ARRANGEMENT CIRCUITRY AND  
METHOD FOR CONNECTING TO PHONE LINES

Serial No.: 10/780,142

Group Art Unit: 2611

Examiner: PHU, PHONG M.

Atty Docket No.: SILA:028C3

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.8, I certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313 on the date below:

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Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Applicant submits this paper in response to the office action dated January 24, 2007. In the office action, the examiner entered a restriction requirement as follows:

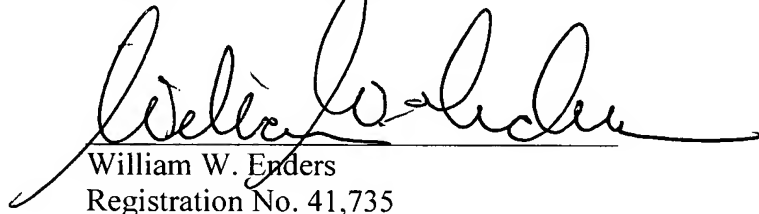
Group I: claims 56-62 and 91-142

Group II: claims 63-90 and 143-150

In response, Applicant elects Group I, claims 56-62 and 91-142.

No fees are believed to be due. However, should any fees under 37 CFR 1.16-1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct such fees from O'Keefe, Egan, Peterman & Enders Deposit Account No. 10-1205/SILA:028C3. The examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the phone number indicated below with any questions or comments, or to otherwise facilitate expeditious and compact prosecution of the application.

Respectfully submitted,



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